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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/25/2008
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/25/2008
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- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/25/2008
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
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